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Inclusion of the issue of the use of space technology in the reports submitted by the Secretary-General to major United Nations conferences and summits for economic, social and cultural development, and its inclusion in the outcomes and commitments of those conferences and summits

Report of the Secretary-General

1. In its resolution 60/99, the General Assembly requested the Secretary-General to submit a report to the Assembly at its sixty-first session, through the Committee on the Peaceful Uses of Outer Space, concerning the inclusion of the issue of the use of space technology in the reports submitted by the Secretary-General to the United Nations conferences and summits for economic, social and cultural development. The Assembly also requested that the Secretary-General report on the inclusion of that issue in the outcomes and commitments of those conferences and summits.[1]

2. The present document contains a list of references to the use of space technology in the outcome documents of major global conferences and summits and the reports issued by the Secretary-General. The list covers documents prepared and adopted between 2002 and 2006.[2]

[1] General Assembly resolution 60/99, para. 32.

[2] The information requested by the General Assembly was made available to the Committee on the Peaceful Uses of Outer Space at its forty-ninth session (A/AC.105/2006/CRP.16). The Committee agreed that the information contained in that document should be submitted to the Assembly at its sixty-first session.

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List of references to the use of space technology in outcome documents of major global conferences and summits and in reports issued by the Secretary-General

Symbol	*Title of document*	*Date of publication*	*Paragraph*
Major United Nations conferences and summits			
General Assembly resolution 60/1	2005 World Summit Outcome	16 September 2005	para. 60
WSIS-03/GENEVA/DOC/005 (Also A/C.2/59/3)	World Summit on the Information Society Plan of Action	12 December 2003	Plan of Action: C2, C2 (d) and C2 (d) (i)
A/CONF.206/6	Report of the World Conference on Disaster Reduction, 2005	16 March 2005	Chapter I, resolution 2, para. 17 (k), para. 18 (d) and annex II
A/CONF.199/20	Report of the World Summit on Sustainable Development, Johannesburg, South Africa	26 August-4 September 2002	paras. 28, 37 (c), 38 (g), 38 (h), 65 (a), 110 (b), 132, 133, 134
Reports issued by the Secretary-General			
A/AC.105/780	Coordination of outer space activities within the United Nations system	30 January 2002	
A/AC.105/792		28 January 2003	
A/AC.105/822		26 January 2004	
A/AC.105/841		8 February 2005	
A/AC.105/858		26 January 2006	
E/CN.17/2006/3	Energy for sustainable development, industrial development, air pollution/atmosphere and climate change: integrated review of progress in meeting the goals, targets and commitments of Agenda 21, the Programme for the Further Implementation of Agenda 21 and the Plan of Implementation of the World Summit on Sustainable Development	17 February 2006	para. 89

Symbol	Title of document	Date of publication	Paragraph
A/59/94-E/2004/77	Implementation of the Programme of Action for the Least Developed Countries for the Decade 2001-2010	11 June 2004	para. 57
A/58/740	Functional requirements of field missions for communication and information technology	18 March 2004	paras. 7, 8, 30, 31
A/58/377	Information and communication technology strategy: implementation of General Assembly resolution 57/304 of 15 April 2003	18 September 2003	para. 10
A/58/373	Developments in the field of information and telecommunications in the context of international security	17 September 2003	paras. 27, 32
A/58/277	Implementation of the International Strategy for Disaster Reduction	12 August 2003	paras. 37, 51, 52
E/2003/56	First annual report of the Information and Communication Technologies Task Force	28 April 2003	paras. 14, 15, 56
E/CN.18/2003/8	Maintaining forest cover to meet present and future needs	24 March 2003	para. 48
E/CN.18/2003/5	Progress in implementation: forest health and productivity	13 March 2003	para. 54
A/57/620	Information and communication technology strategy	20 November 2002	para. 72
A/57/166/Add.1	Developments in the field of information and telecommunications in the context of international security	29 August 2002	paras. 2, 11, 29
A/57/190	Implementation of the International Strategy for Disaster Reduction	11 July 2002	paras. 29, 42, 43, 46
A/57/131	Implementation of the outcome of the Global Conference on the Sustainable Development of Small Island Developing States, and promoting an integrated management approach to the Caribbean Sea area in the context of sustainable development	2 July 2002	paras. 9, 43

Symbol	*Title of document*	*Date of publication*	*Paragraph*
E/CN.18/2002/9	Forest conservation and protection of unique types of forests and fragile ecosystems	4 February 2002	paras. 31, 36
E/CN.18/2002/3	Rehabilitation and restoration of degraded lands and the promotion of natural and planted forests	4 January 2002	para. 55